



one to two feet of snow this weekend?



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That's it.

I'm letting my wife talk me into moving to Vermont.

I can't take the weather in DC.



Thank you

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...And there goes the weekend

But hey, we got a day and a half of this one! And I got to sleep in for two whole mornings. Too bad

As a law enforcement professional--

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February 4 2010, 14:17:09 UTC

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Apparently not.



 tamidom

February 4 2010, 14:28:47 UTC

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usually it does but we're better prepared for it up here



 twistedchick

February 4 2010, 14:07:49 UTC

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It happens about every 8 to 10 years or so. And then there was 1995, when we had four feet drifting to six feet. (I have photos. I was snowed in with the cat for 10 days.)

The rest of the time winter is freezing rain and black ice.

I suspect you won't be avoiding snow in Vermont, but at least they'll know how to plow there.



 [trollcatz](#)

[February 4 2010, 14:18:13 UTC](#)

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This winter, it seems as if Vermont gets picturesque New England dustings and we get...

KERTHUMP.



 [hollyxu](#)

[February 4 2010, 16:12:58 UTC](#)

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I thought Vermont has even more snow?



 [sheisttheweather](#)

[February 4 2010, 16:44:54 UTC](#)

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o.O That's a lot of snow. Yikes.

Stay safe, hon.



 [ace_cub_reportr](#)

[February 4 2010, 18:22:46 UTC](#)

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And in Vermont, they have plows. Right now a live webcam of the DC Public Works Department would be a source of constant amusement--at least, to people who don't live here.



 [saeba](#)

[February 4 2010, 18:54:01 UTC](#)

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Yeah, somewhere around 8-12 inches of snow my Oh Hell No meter pegs out and I start thinking of ways to escape.

The in-laws live north of Spokane- Christmas of '08 part of the holiday festivites included my suckering the father in law into driving me into town in the 4x4 so the spousal unit could gear up and *shovel the roofs* of the house, 4 car workshop and 2 car garage.

It was surreal. It was also necessary.

 [glinda_w](#)

[February 4 2010, 19:06:53 UTC](#)

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If you did move to Vermont, the excessive snow would probably move north. *wry* At least, that's what would happen to me.

Stay warm, stay safe.

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 [jennygadget](#)

[February 5 2010, 03:01:44 UTC](#)

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"** - At least until the drains overflow. Which has been known to happen."

This is always what happens when it rains for more than a few hours in SoCal. Which makes sense, as infrequent rains means lots of junk getting piled up in the drains clogging it up.



 [calanthe_b](#)

[February 4 2010, 22:25:54 UTC](#)

[COLLAPSE](#)

Better your snow than my 35 C and muggy, that's what I say...

 [bunny_m](#)

[February 5 2010, 12:12:06 UTC](#)

[COLLAPSE](#)

Agreed



 [fidelioscabinet](#)

[February 5 2010, 00:03:32 UTC](#)

[COLLAPSE](#)

Plus, they don't know how to make maple syrup in the DC area.

 [eljefe](#)

[February 5 2010, 00:59:38 UTC](#)

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I hear some offices are offering admin leave for snow days. *scoffs*



 [magpie49](#)

[February 5 2010, 03:39:14 UTC](#)

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At the very least Vermont knows how to deal sensibly with a foot or two of snow.

Most of the northerly places that "expect" a fair amount of snow are prepared to deal with it, and do so calmly. An extreme example leaps to mind: Some few years ago Buffalo got hammered with 3 feet of snow in one day. It shut the city down for 3 days, or less, according to friends who were there, while snow removal took place. I cannot imagine how long that much snow would have DC closed down for.

My daughter is trying to talk me into moving from PA to NH, to be closer to family (one or two hours by car instead of six or seven) but I'm resisting because I'm not sure I want to deal with the colder winters and heavier snow.



batwrangler

February 6 2010, 03:29:16 UTC

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NH also has failed to have a snowpocalypse this year and generally knows how to deal with one when it occurs.

:)

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